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FOLG MSG SENT ACTION USINFO ON APR 5TH IS HEREBY RE-TRANSMITTED
FOR YOUR INFO:

QUOTE:

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EO 11652 NA
TAGS NA
SUBJECT: MEDIA REACTION - NEUTRON BOMB

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1. THE NATIONALLY CIRCULATED TORONTO GLOBE AND MAIL
(APRIL 5, 1978) CARRIED A NEW YORK TIMES ASSOCIATED PRESS
WIRE STORY ON PAGE ONE HEADLINED " CARTER'S
TENTATIVE DECISION NOT TO PRODUCE NEUTRON BOMB CONFUSES,
ANGERS EUROPEANS."

2. THE NEWSTORY EMPHASIZED EUROPEAN LEADERS' CONCERN THAT

CARTER HAS THROWN AWAY NEGOTIATING "ACE" WITHOUT OBTAINING
ADEQUATE SOVIET DISARMAMENT CONCESSIONS IN RETURN. STORY
ALSO NOTED THAT EUROPEAN DEFENSE OFFICIALS FEAR CARTER'S
DECISION WILL CASE "SEVERE INTERNAL CRISIS OF CONFIDENCE"
IN NATO.
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